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SUBJECT:

1. EXIMBANK IS IN RECEIPT OF A DOLS 4.3 MILLION LOAN REQUEST FROM FIRM BJ. RUUD-PEDERSEN, DRONNINGENSGT. 10-12 OSLO 1, NORWAY, FOR U.S. DRILLING EQUIPMENT TO BE PLACED ON A DRILLING SHIP UNDER CONSTRUCTION IN JAPAN.
2. WE HAVE HAD NO PRIOR EXPERIENCE WITH THIS FIRM, AND THEY DO NOT MAINTAIN A U.S. OFFICE.
3. COULD YOU PLEASE DEVELOP CREDIT INFORMATION REGARDING THIS FIRM TO HELP US PROCESS THEIR REQUEST? DO ANY NORWEGIAN BANKS EXTEND THEM CREDIT? WHAT IS THEIR REPUTATION IN THE SHIPPING INDUSTRY? THEY ALLEGE THEY OWN A FLEET OF CHEMICAL AND LARGE BULK CARRIERS ON LONG TERM CHARTERS.

4. WE APPRECIATE YOUR ASSISTANCE.

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